IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA CHARLOTTE DIVISION

CIVIL ACTION NO. 3:11-CV-597-FDW-DCK

THE FAIRPOINT COMMUNICATIONS,)
INC. ET AL., LITIGATION TRUST,)
)
Plaintiff,)
)
v.	ORDER
)
VERIZON COMMUNICATIONS, INC.,)
NYNEX CORPORATION, VERIZON)
NEW ENGLAND, INC., and VERIZON)
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGIES)
L.L.C.,)
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)
Defendants.)
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THIS MATTER IS BEFORE THE COURT on the "Application For Admission To Practice *Pro Hac Vice*" (Document No. 111) filed by Robert E. Harrington, concerning Joshua B. Simon on January 30, 2013. Mr. Joshua B. Simon seeks to appear as counsel *pro hac vice* for the Defendants. Upon review and consideration of the motion, which was accompanied by submission of the necessary fee, the Court will <u>grant</u> the motion.

IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED that in accordance with Local Rule 83.1, the Application For Admission To Practice *Pro Hac Vice* (Document No. 111) is **GRANTED.** Mr. Joshua B. Simon is hereby admitted *pro hac vice* to represent the Defendants.

Signed: January 31, 2013

David C. Keesler
United States Magistrate Judge